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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Shannon L. Stewart

Applicant : Bernd Witzigmann, et al. Confirmation No. 4968
Application No. : 10/618,373
Filed : July 11, 2003
Title : COMPLEX COUPLED SINGLE MODE LASER WITH DUAL ACTIVE
REGION
Grp./Div. : 2828
Examiner : James A. Menefee
Docket No. : 50154/E349

Commissioner for Patents
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Post Office Box 7068
Pasadena, CA 91109-7068
November 23, 2005

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated July 25, 2005 for one month(s) from October 25, 2005 to November 25, 2005.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$120.00

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 120 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

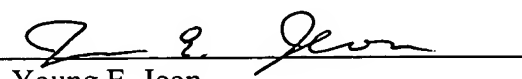
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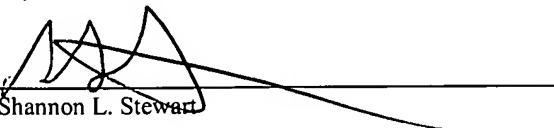
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	*25	*27	0	x \$25.00	x \$50.00	
Independent Claims	**3	**3		x \$100.00	x \$200.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$180.00	\$360.00	
TOTAL FILING FEE						
NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED	IF NO FEE REQUIRED, INSERT "0"					0
LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 28, 40 and 48						
* IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 20 OR LESS, WRITE "20" IN COLUMN 3 ** IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN COLUMN 3 *** PAY THIS FEE ONLY WHEN MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS ARE ADDED FOR THE FIRST TIME						

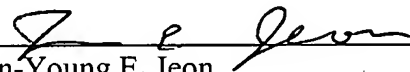
Amendment Transmittal Letter
Application No. 10/618,373

_____ Attached is our check for \$ to pay the fees calculated above.
X_____ A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.
_____ Other enclosures:

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